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FORMER SENATOR FLAYS BOSSISM

New Yorkers Robbed of Government for Years.

CONKLING AND PLATT SUPREME

In Plea for Short Ballot Before Constitutional Convention Former Senator Declares People Are Sullen and Resentful—Capitol on Broadway.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 31.—From the floor of the constitutional convention former United States Senator Elihu Root, president, condemned the system of "bossism" and "invisible government" which, he said, to his knowledge has dominated New York for forty years, and pleaded that the people be armed with the short ballot, that they may establish their own rule. It is all wrong, he declared, that any other rule should exist.

"This domination," Mr. Root declared, in part, "has caused a deep and sullen and long continued resentment among the people at being governed by men not of their choosing. They demand a change. The short ballot plan is a solution, or at least it may be the first step that will work out a solution." After discussing the proposal specifically, Mr. Root said:

Constitution Brushed Aside.

"We talk about the government of the constitution. What is the government of this state? What has it been during the forty years of my acquaintance with it? The government of the constitution. Oh, no; not half the time, or half way. When I asked what did the people find wrong in our state government my mind goes back to those periodic fits of public rage in which the people arose and tore down the political leaders, first of one party and then of the other party.

"I am talking about the system. From the days of Fenton and Conkling and Arthur and Cornell and Platt, from the days of David B. Hill down to the present, the government of the state has presented two different lines of activity, one of the constitutional and statutory officers of the state and the other of the party leaders—they call them party bosses.

"They are called the system—the 'invisible government.' For, I don't remember how many years, Mr. Conkling was the supreme ruler in this state; the governor did not count, legislatures did not count. And in a great outburst of public rage he was pulled down.

Capitol on Broadway.

"Then Mr. Platt ruled the state for nigh upon twenty years. And the capitol was not here; it was at 49 Broadway, with Mr. Platt and his lieutenants.

"And there is today throughout this state a deep and sullen resentment at being governed thus by men not of the people's choosing.

"The party leader is selected by no one, accountable to no one, bound by no oath of office, removable by no one. I deny that we cannot change it. I assert that this perversion of democracy can be changed as truly as the atmosphere which made the credit scandal possible in the congress of the United States was blown away by the force of public opinion.

"We can take this one step toward not robbing the people of their part in government, but toward robbing an irresponsible autocracy of its indefensible and unjust and undemocratic control of government, and restoring it to the people to be exercised by the men of their choice and their control."

IS DIPLOMATIC AGENT
FOR EIGHT NATIONS.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Ambassador Morgenthau, at Constantinople, has taken over the diplomatic interests of Italy, Russia and Montenegro. These added responsibilities for the United States make this government diplomatic agent at the porte for eight European nations.

G. O. P. PARTY MAN IS DEAD

Thomas Thorson Succumbs at Home in South Dakota.

Canton, S. D., Aug. 31.—Thomas Thorson, national committeeman of the Republican party from South Dakota, is dead at his home in Canton. He had been ill for some time. Mr. Thorson is survived by a widow and two brothers, Sam Thorson of Canton and Christ Thorson of Tacoma, Wash.

ELIHU ROOT.

Former New York Senator
Arraigns Political System.



Photo by American Press Association.

COLORADO MILITIA INQUIRY IS DEFIED

Court Asks State's Legal Adviser to Fix Its Status.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 31.—The investigation of charges against Adjutant General John Chase and of the men who made the charges struck a legal snag.

The court of inquiry, appointed by Governor George A. Carlson, after two witnesses had defied its authority and refused to answer questions, asked Attorney General Fred Farrar for an opinion as to its legal status and powers.

In the meantime, a former captain of the guard, ordered under arrest by the court, was at liberty on orders from the governor, as commander-in-chief of the Colorado militia.

The trouble started when C. B. Elliott, former adjutant general of West Virginia and now reputed to be a detective in the employ of the United Mine Workers of America, refused to answer questions regarding the alleged plot of detectives and labor leaders to wreck the state guard.

Former Captain Phillip S. Van Cise, who commanded the famous "College Company" in the strike zone in 1913-14 and who later was the leader of the anti-Chase faction within the national guard, was called to the stand. When the court asked Van Cise some questions which he refused to answer the bailiff was ordered to place him under arrest. Van Cise refused to be arrested, however, saying he would appeal to the governor.

Van Cise and Major Edward J. Boughton of the military court then hurried over to the governor's office, where each was received privately by the chief executive. After hearing the statement of each the governor decided that the witness should be released and the whole tangle should be submitted to the attorney general.

21 ARE INJURED IN WRECK

Three Critically Hurt When Chicago and Alton Train Is Derailed.

Mexico, Mo., Aug. 31.—Three persons were injured dangerously and eighteen others cut and bruised when Chicago and Alton Train No. 16 was derailed ten miles east of here.

Only the chair car and smoker left the track. The cause of the derailment is unknown.

Exonerated of Charges.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 31.—Superintendent August Kringsel of the county home for dependent children at Wauwatosa, was exonerated from charges of mismanagement and cruelty to the children. The charges had been preferred by a member of the Socialist party and have been under investigation by the board of supervisors several months.

JUMPS INTO WELL TO
ESCAPE RUSH OF BULL.

Mandan, N. D., Aug. 31.—John Hinrichsen, a farmer living near Center, went after water and to escape the charge of a neighbor's bull jumped into the well. He was rescued half drowned several hours later.

First Photos of Warsaw Forts Destroyed by Germans



Photos by Press Illustrating Co.

These remains of the once powerful forts which protected Warsaw show the great destructive work of the 42 centimetre German siege guns, which smashed to bits the forts of Namur in Belgium early in the war. The Russians were unable to stand against the mighty power of these guns, and these photographs, the first to arrive in the United States of the fall of Warsaw, show that the Germans were able to drive out the Russians there because of their superior artillery. The photographs are the first hint of the real cause of the Russian defeat at Warsaw. The great guns which demolished the Belgian forts were used to smash the Russian defenses.



LATEST WAR NEWS

GREAT SIGNIFICANCE ATTACHED

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 31.—The greatest significance is attached to the sudden and mysterious conference this afternoon at Premier Asquith's office, which was called immediately after Asquith returned unexpectedly from the country. Various ministers were called in from other conferences they were attending.

PEACE SITUATION UNCHANGED

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 31.—Despite the latest alleged German peace feelers, the English peace situation is unchanged. A few socialists urge ending the hostilities, but the officials and a majority of the people are unwilling to consider peace, honorable or otherwise, until the Germans are driven from France and Belgium.

THE BLOODIEST BATTLE

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 31.—The bloodiest battle of the war was when the allies captured the German fortress at Carau, in Kamerun, West Africa. For three hours the allies sent shells against the German positions and the Germans responded with equal violence. The German garrison of seventeen officers and 275 men surrendered. Not a single man was killed or wounded. One shell rolled around a dentist's chair without doing damage.

DANGER POINT PASSED

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 31.—The danger point in the great coal strike is believed passed despite the fact that a thousand more men at Monmouthshire quit last night. It is believed that a satisfactory settlement has been reached and that all will return to work tomorrow.

TAKE TURKISH PRISONERS

(By United Press)

Petrograd, Aug. 31.—The Russian Caucasian troops have taken 84 Turkish officers prisoners and 5,129 men were killed in the recent operations. They also took a hundred camels, twelve cannons, six maxims and 90 caissons, two convoys with a number of mules, and 1,000 head of cattle and much ammunition was also taken.

SUPPLIES WITHDRAWN

(By United Press)

Berlin, Aug. 31.—The aviators have reported that the supplies have been withdrawn from Grodno, and the evacuation is expected momentarily. The Russians are preparing to fall back to the Lida railway. One German army is within a few miles of the fortress.

SOMETHING SOON STARTED

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 31.—With the recent talk of the officials, Londoners believe that something soon will be started, but just when is a question. It is noted that there is a lack of soldiers in London and it is known that the British front in France has been lengthened.

VILNA BEING EVACUATED

(By United Press)

Berlin, Aug. 31.—Press dispatches say Vilna is being evacuated and that the Russian government is making feverish preparations to defend Petrograd from attack.

ITALIANS DEFEATED

(By United Press)

Innsbruck, Aug. 31.—After severe fighting at Seif Pass, the Italians were forced to retire.

TWO POSSIBILITIES

(By United Press)

Berlin, Aug. 31.—The Vossische Zeitung in an editorial says there are two possibilities in connection with the Arabic sinking, and that either the submarine commander feared being rammed or the Arabic struck a mine.

SWEDEN AGAINST GERMANY

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 31.—Edwin Bjorkman, the eminent Swedish author, said Sweden would never enter the war on the side of Germany. It is easy to find sinister influences working in Europe to provoke Sweden but she will never weaken. It is a democratic country with 450,000 progressives and 230,000 reactionaries. Half the reactionaries and all the progressives are against Germany and only a few favor that country.

ANOTHER SEVERE DEFEAT

(By United Press)

Berlin, Aug. 31.—An official announcement says that Gen. Mackensen inflicted another severe defeat on the rear guard of the Russians who are being driven from Brest Litovsk, and captured 3,700 men. The statement admits that the Russian counter attack temporarily halted the Germans. The Germans are approaching Grodno and are within twelve miles of that place.

Ford Denies He Will Join Camp

Detroit, Aug. 31.—Henry Ford has vehemently denied the report that he would enter the business men's training camp at Fort Sheridan. He said he never intended to apply for training as a professional murderer.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Colonel Frederick, who announced that Henry Ford had made application and had been accepted, said the Henry Ford of Detroit was another Henry, not the manufacturer.

HENRY FORD.

Automobile Manufacturer Is
Accepted for Civilian Camp.



Photo by American Press Association.

FORD APPROVED AS RECRUIT

Auto Manufacturer Accepted for Fort Sheridan Civilian Camp.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Henry Ford of Detroit, Mich., was approved by United States army headquarters here as a recruit at the Fort Sheridan civilian camp.

GERMANS GETTING ARMS IN AMERICA

Chicago Man Says Fact Is Common Knowledge.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—George M. Getschow, secretary of Phillips, Getschow & Co., is quoted as saying that he is a stockholder in a firm which is making 100,000 six-inch shells for the United States army and that the German government, like the allies, is purchasing munitions of war in the American market.

"As to the American order, I am not at liberty to disclose the name of the firm, further than to say that the contract is worth about \$640,000," Mr. Getschow is quoted as saying.

"A month after the war broke out this firm ordered 150 lathes for making shells, but they arrived only recently. This firm has no orders from the European belligerents.

"I have seen some of the German contracts," continued Mr. Getschow. "That Germany is a buyer is common knowledge among manufacturers. The Germans have the whole thing figured out in advance, specifying that the cost of manufacture will be so much, the overhead expense so much and the price will be based on these with 30 per cent profit added."

ITALIANS SWELL WAR FUND

Countrymen in Northwest Aid in Purchase of Bonds.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 31.—Italians throughout the Northwest have contributed several hundred thousand dollars to the war loan fund being taken up by Antillo Castiglione, royal Italian consul and other prominent Italians in the Northwest, according to Mr. Castiglione.

Within the last few days \$100,000 has been received at the local office and several hundred thousand has been sent to the Italian consul since the fund opened early in July.

The fund is for the purchase of bonds from the Italian government payable at varying terms of years and drawing interest. Contributions are for Italians exclusively and they have responded readily.

KEYMEN WILL NOT STRIKE

Threatened Walkout on Great Western Believed Settled.

St. Paul, Aug. 31.—The threatened strike of the telegraphers on the Chicago Great Western lines will not materialize, according to information received in St. Paul following a conference between H. C. Perham, president of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, President Felton of the Chicago Great Western and the mediators appointed by the government.

Telegraphers for the road ask a 15 per cent raise in their pay and certain modifications in their working schedule. It is not known what raise will be granted, but information indicated that a board is preparing schedules fixing the advance in pay. This probably will not be completed for a month.

BRITISH SHOW NO WAR GENIUS

Correspondent Attacks Direction of Campaign.

MANY MISTAKES ARE CHARGED

Military Critic of London Times Arraigns Higher Directors of Operations—Points to "Dardanelles Mistakes and Antwerp Fiasco."

London, Aug. 31.—The Times military correspondent makes a strong attack on the higher direction of the campaign from the British side, which he declares is the subject of severe criticism in the fighting service.

Pointing to the "Antwerp fiasco," "The Dardanelles Mistakes" and the failure to organize a munitions supply, the correspondent says the cabinet has shown no genius for war.

"To put it brutally," the correspondent says, "we have not been governed in a strategic sense. We have merely drifted."

Arguing that success in France still is all-important, the writer asserts this has been prevented and "still is jeopardized by errors and failures for which the late government mainly is responsible, but unless these errors and failures are repaired the coalition government will be responsible for them also. We are reaping the fruits of a harvest of inexperience."

TEUTON DRIVING RUSSIANS

Von Hindenburg's Forces Renew Activity Along Dvina River.

London, Aug. 31.—The reports from the eastern war theater, embracing the region from Courland to Southeastern Galicia, indicate that the Germans and Austrians are still pressing the Russians hard in combat or tenaciously following them in retreat.

Military observers here are hoping that the approaching equinoctial season will limit the further forward movement of the Teutons and force them to be content with the fruits of their past successes as the winter season falls upon them.

Both Berlin and Vienna lay emphasis on the statement that Field Marshal von Hindenburg's forces along the Dvina river in Courland have renewed their activities, which were brought to a sudden halt recently with the success of the Russians in holding Riga as a menace to Von Hindenburg's rear.

In Southwestern Russia in the Brest-Litovsk region, the Austrians and Germans are chiefly concerned in driving Grand Duke Nicholas' armies further into the Pripiet marshes, evidently with the purpose of repeating the early score of the Germans in the Mazurian lakes region of East Prussia.

To the northwest in the sector lying only a short distance to the east of the East Prussian frontier, Berlin reports an advance of the Teutons and the capture of the town of Lipsk, lying just to the west of the fortress of Grodno, upon which the aims of the Germans now are evidently centered.

LIQUOR INJUNCTION SOUGHT

North Dakota Argues Case in Federal Court.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 31.—The right of the state to maintain an action against a railroad for an injunction to prevent it from transporting liquor into North Dakota was argued in the Federal court here before C. F. Amidon, in the case of the state against the St. Paul railroad.

W. G. Porter, solicitor for the railroad, challenged the right of the state to bring such an action on the ground that an injunction is not the legal remedy.

The state, represented by Attorney General H. J. Linde and his assistants, Francis Murphy and Attorney Bitzins, contended that the railroads are maintaining a nuisance in bringing liquor into the state.

DESIRE TO SEE WIFE, LURE

This Is Said to Be Cause of Arrest of Banker and Alleged Forger.

St. Louis, Aug. 31.—Details of the alleged fraudulent realty transactions of John W. Barnhardt, who also operated under the names of Adler, Kline and other aliases, continued to pour into police headquarters here while Barnhardt, until recently bank director and politician of Forest City, Ark., awaited extradition to Waukegan, Wis., on charges of forgery and attempted murder.

Barnhardt's chief concern seemed to be over the welfare of his wife. It was his desire to see her which led to his arrest.

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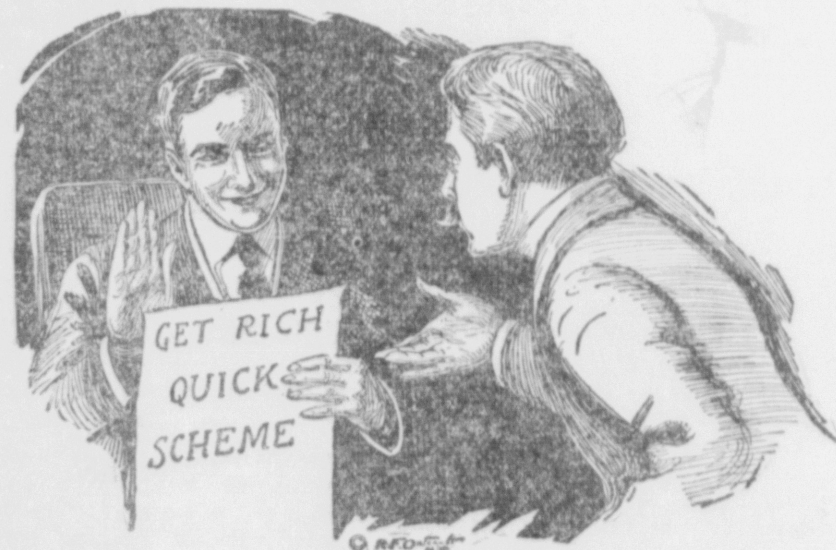
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97 acres of land, in St. Mathias,
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Chas. Peterson, 623 Pine St.

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summer hotel on the south shore of
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accommodate up to 20 guests. Rates
reasonable including use of boats.
Will meet trains on the M. & I. at
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*The careful man doesn't allow
himself to be talked into haphazard
investments—he puts his money
in the Bank where it is safe for
some good business opportunity*

EVERYONE KNOWS THE STORY OF THE ARAB WHO
COULDN'T SAY NO AND WAS FINALLY CROWDED OUT OF
HIS TENT. SOME PEOPLE CAN'T SAY "NO" TO THE GLIB
STRANGER WHO HYPNOTIZES THEM INTO INVESTING IN
SOMETHING THAT EXISTS ONLY ON A PIECE OF PAPER.
SOME PEOPLE "BITE" AT THE "GET-RICH-QUICK" SCHEME
BECAUSE THEY BELIEVE A STRANGER INSTEAD OF THEIR
OWN BANKER.

LISTEN, IF THAT GET-RICH-QUICK SCHEME IS SO GOOD,
WHY DOES A SMOOTH STRANGER HAVE TO "PEDDLE IT TO
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mum 42.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

J. F. Smart went to Barrows to-
day.

For Spring Water Phone 264. t
Joseph Newman of Pierz was in
Brainerd today.

H. W. Congdon went to Crookston
this afternoon.

See Clark's bargain windows. 55tf

Rev. Renuis Johnson went to Lin-
coln this noon.

Dr. E. E. Long returned from Deer-
wood this noon.

James Murphy went to Minneapo-
lis this afternoon.

William Kontos is at Minneapolis
attending to business matters.

Joseph Furni, of Duluth, is a guest
of his brother-in-law, G. W. Smith.

J. J. Tucker, a prominent merchant
of Port Ripley, was in Brainerd to-
day.

Ice cream at Turners'. Phone
267-J. 255tf

Attorney Charles A. Russell re-
turned last night from a trip to the
Pacific coast.

W. H. Onstine attended the picnic
of the Mission Lake Farmers club
near Merrifield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Day and family,
have broken up camp at Mound lake
and returned to Brainerd.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Frederick have
returned from a week's visit at Wa-
seca with relatives and friends.

Nettleton sells and rents houses.
72tf

C. Jensen is at Minneapolis a
couple of weeks and will play in Kel-
sey's orchestra at the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wood and son,
Wilnot, were in the city today from
their summer home on Crooked Lake.

When in need of cord wood call on
A. K. Lukens. Phone 117. 7355p

Nete Ellis, a travelingman who
registers, "Here again, the big kus
from El Kusto," was in town today.

Attorney G. S. Swanson returned
last night from a trip to the Twin
Cities where he attended to legal mat-
ters.

Glasses properly fitted. Dr. Long.
291tf

The band concert tomorrow even-
ing will be the last of the season. The
program will be published in Wed-
nesday's Dispatch.

We fit the new "Elastik Eyeglass."
Dr. E. E. Long, Osteopath. 291tf

Visitors from Spencer, Iowa in
Brainerd yesterday were Mrs. W. P.
Woodcock, W. P. Woodcock, Jr., and
F. H. Woodcock.

Two fires called out the depart-
ment yesterday, both quickly extin-
guished. One was near an old barn

and the other in a sawdust pile at
Boom lake.

The alfalfa patch at the court
house planted by P. B. Nettleton and
Sheriff Claus A. Theorin is growing
well and the court house is already
figuring on the tonnage per acre.

Wallace Stallman has purchased a
new shining outfit of two chairs, one
of the most up to date in the city and
is doing a flourishing business. The
chairs are of oak of modern design.

Trunks and leather traveling bags,
from \$3 to \$12. D. M. Clark & Co.
191tf

Dr. F. M. Balch, the doctor of feet,
has returned to Brainerd from a trip
on the range and can again be found
at the Windsor hotel where he will
be pleased to see any needing his
services. 76-t3

Wm. A. Rose, a mining engineer of
Duluth, was in the city today and in-
spected the Brainerd-Cuyuna mine on
South Sixth street. It is reported
that shipping will soon start up at
this mine.

A good way to save money is to
put it where you can't get it. A
First Mortgage of the Security Na-
tional Loan Company will give you
7% interest. 67tf

Oats threshed at James M. Elder's
farm yielded 2,072 bushels to 25
acres. These were early oats, the
later oats being expected to yield
better. Wheat so far has averaged
36 bushels to the acre.

Mrs. Nevers is offering her house
at the corner of Fourth and Main
streets at a bargain if taken at once.
The house is modern, having steam
heat and two bath rooms. Telephone
470. 76tf

All banks of the city remained
open last evening and cashed pay
checks and many of the stores receiv-
ed their quota too. It was a novel
experience in Brainerd which for
years past has only handled the gold
as formerly all checks were cashed at
the Northern Pacific railway shops
by the First National bank of Brainerd.

Ice Cream Social

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church
will give an ice cream social on the
church lawn on Wednesday evening
beginning at 7 o'clock. A large num-
ber of tickets have been sold at 10c
each.

Haytien Outbreak
is Indicated

(By United Press)

Washington, Aug. 31.—The possi-
bility of another Haytien outbreak
is indicated in a dispatch to the Navy
department from Admiral Caperton,
saying that the collier Caperton, enroute
to Genoa with a company of marines,
had not been detailed.

Roosevelt's Speech
All But Criminal

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 31.—The
Kreigerbund, an organization of
former German soldiers, at their an-
nual encampment in this city de-
nounced Roosevelt for his Plattsburg
address, saying that it was all but
criminal.

Submarine F-4 Raised
Sailors' Bodies Missing

(By United Press)

Honolulu, Aug. 31.—Submarine
F-4 has been raised and fully exposed
but the searchers failed to find a
single trace of the sailor's bodies. A
large hole was in the bow where the
officers entered and found piles of
mud, sand and debris and it is be-
lieved the sailors are possibly buried
under these. It is also possible that
the sailors' bodies were washed out
while the submarine was being raised.

It is feared that the wrecked condi-
tion of the interior will prevent an
inspection of the works to ascertain
the cause of the accident.

THE GAME OF LIFE.

Play the game! Play it fair,
but play it all the time to win. We
are not here to whine and com-
plain, to stay down because we are
knocked down, to blame the in-
equalities of the ground or the un-
fairness of the umpire. Where
there are no difficulties there can
be no victories. We are here to
win if we can in every condition
that confronts us, to do our best in
any case, and to do it to the end.

Books and Reading.

It is not from the reading of many
books, but from the mastery of the
best books, that power comes.

**The New Style-Craft Suits and Coats**
For Fall Are Here

The first of the new Style-Craft models are just in. We knew we had a treat for
you and could hardly wait for the time when we could show you. Now that they are
on the racks, we are more enthusiastic over them than ever and confirmed in our
assurance that our garment department will be showing the brightest and and prettiest
versions of the new FALL STYLES that any of the markets has shown.

Come in, look around and see what the styles of the season are to be.

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Finest Traveling
Hospital in World

BY WILBUR S. FORREST

(United Press Staff Correspondent)
London, Aug. 18 (By Mail).—The
finest traveling hospital in the world
is somewhere in France today.

Known as the "Princess Christian
Hospital train," it was built from
subscriptions solicited by the sister of
the late King Edward, who provided
a similar equipment, though smaller,
during the Boer war.

Every requirement necessary for
the care of 400 desperately wounded
soldiers is provided in eight coaches
of the 700 foot conveyance. Six ad-
ditional carriages provide lounging
quarters for the sick and slightly
wounded on their way to base hos-
pitals from the front. Several coach-
es are equipped with beds, a kitchen,
lockers, hot and cold water and elec-
tric and gas appliances including il-
lumination.

Another affords sleeping accomo-
dations for nurses and doctors while
another is a complete operating room.
Hundreds of details throughout the
moving hospital are supplied from
the latest knowledge of hospital and
surgical supplies. If necessary it
can be sidetracked at an isolated way
station near a battle front and be
employed as a stationary hospital.

A joint committee of the leading
railways of France and England au-
superintended the construction of the
train at Birmingham.

Much has been said of the famous
American hospital of Paris but little
is known of the "American hospital
of London."

In the Duchess of Connaught's
Canadian Red Cross hospital at Cliv-
endon Wood, on the Thames, scores
of nurses and 42 doctors from Cana-
dian and American cities care for the
Canadian "Indians" as they come
wounded and torn from the battle-
fields across the channel. There are
tennis, golf, billiards and quoits for
the convalescent and the true Cana-
dian idea of food, fresh air and
laughter to condition the wounded
men again for the ever-raging strug-
gle from which they came. Patients
are fed on fresh eggs, plump chick-
ens and jam and biscuits direct from
Canada. They are given the open
air treatment as soon as possible, and
most any day can be found a fleet of
rolling beds flanking a football field
nearby, where simon pure Canadian
football is the order.

The new hospital, which is being
enlarged to care for 500 patients, is
regarded as a model of hospitals in
England. It is equipped with light,
airy operating rooms, medical and
surgical stores, laboratories and x-ray
rooms, embracing all the latest in
medical science.

"It makes you homesick for Cana-
da," said one Canadian recruit to-
day. He got it in the leg in France
and with two crutches he was play-
ing football, his chief desire being to
kick the ball with his injured leg.

Mail advices from Ghent, Belgium,
tell that Germans sentenced Coun-
tess Dejongh Dardoye, age 16, to
three months imprisonment recently.
She was walking with her grand-
mother and both were wearing med-
als with King Albert's picture. A
German officer tore the medals from
them, saying: "Away with that King
without a country."

The young Countess picked up the
medals, and answered hotly: "We
Belgians prefer a King without a
country to an Emperor without hon-
or."

She was immediately arrested and
subsequently sentenced by court mar-
tal.

ASKS COMPULSORY
SERVICE IN ARMY**Well Known Officer Advocates**
Drastic Military Laws.**WOULD TRAIN YOUNG MEN.**

By This Method, He Asserts, United
States Would Have Available an
Army of 1,200,000 Men in Three
Years—Training Would Be Bene-
ficial, Report Will Say.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 31.—[Special].—
"The only way the United States can
maintain and secure an efficient army
is by compulsory service."

That will probably be the keynote
of the report of one of the most efficient
general officers in the service unless it
is blue penciled by some one higher
up. "Compulsory service" has an ugly
sound, and we can well imagine the
high down oratory of the men in con-
gress, who will point out how volun-
teers have always come to the rescue
of the nation and that volunteers are
sufficient for all purposes.

Of course the officer who makes the
statement knows the difficulties in
the way of compulsory service and says
that it is more than probable that all
the sentiment which has been created
in favor of national defense will result
in increased appropriations for the mil-
lita of the states, but little or nothing
for a regular army.

Training Young Men.

His report will further elaborate the
plan of having 400,000 men called out
each year for two months' drill and
camp service. The second year these
men will be called out for a month, the
third year for two weeks. While in
that time they will not get all the train-
ing required, they will acquire a knowl-
edge of military service which will
make them useful in time of war. At
the end of three years there would be
1,200,000 with some military experi-
ence, and each year would add to the
number.

Means Good Training.

"Compulsory military service," this
officer will say, "will give good train-
ing to the young men called out. Ev-
ery young man in the country will be
better off for having military instruc-
tion and experience in camp. More
than all else, the army will secure bet-
ter men by compulsory service. Men
can be picked on account of their
availability and not because the man
is tired of his job or wants something
new. Care could also be exercised in
picking young men who are not need-
ed for the support of families and
whose services in the army will not
interfere with work or business."

Commenting upon his recommenda-
tions, the general said: "Of course I
doubt whether we will get anywhere
with this program. Congress is likely
to turn its attention to the militia, and
we will be set back twenty years in
an effort to secure an efficient army.
The militia and volunteers are not to
be depended upon in an emergency."

Fear Conscription.

One reason why former Americans
are becoming dissatisfied in Canada
is because they fear that conscription
may come before the war in Europe
is over and that they will be called
upon for service in foreign lands.
Those who have renounced their Amer-
ican citizenship and become natural-
ized citizens of Canada are subject to
such service if Canada decides it is
necessary.

Postmaster General Burleson is reck-
less in regard to the politics involved
in rural free delivery. He was will-
ing to save \$18,000,000 by cutting down
salaries and contracting for the serv-
ice. Congress would not permit this,
but he has gone ahead on other lines
and effected a saving. More than that,
he has taken off the bicycles and mo-
tor cycles on the ground that they can

not deliver parcels post packages satis-
factorily. All these things the rural
carriers will resent, but Burleson is not
alarmed.

Southern Commercial Activity.

There was a time when it was said
that the southern people were content
to let things drift and take care of
themselves, but that belongs entirely
to the past. Here in Washington is
the headquarters of the southern com-
mercial congress, which is one of the
liveliest concerns of the kind in the
country. This congress dips into any-
thing which concerns the south and
just now is taking particular interest
in the freedom of the seas because the
cotton of the south is very much af-
fected. The organization is gathering
facts which it will present to congress
if the administration has not taken a
pronounced stand by the time congress
convenes.

The Very Thing.

To get votes under this kind of mili-
tary preparation the scheme which will
be popular is to have several more mili-
tary academies. As long as different
communities have hopes of getting
such institutions they will furnish
votes to erect them, but the location of
military academies would be a little
war of its own, as every section of the
country has ideal sites. After all, we
don't want two rival military acad-
emies.

BENEVOLENCE.

There is no just action, no kind
word, no obliging demeanor, no
charity, no hospitality, that springs
from selfishness which shall not have
its penalty, inasmuch as it corrupts
the character, and there is no kind-
ness, no forbearance, no generosity,
no charity, that springs from dis-
interested benevolence which has
not its remuneration, for it makes
men better, nobler and purer.

Between Two Fires.

She was desperately gone on them
both, and she couldn't think which one
to choose. It was rather perplexing
no doubt, for one she was bound to re-
fuse.

She gazed at them both in despair,
quite puzzled to know what to do. As
soon as she thought about one she
cared for the other one too.

They still remained under her gaze,
little reeking the trouble they brought.
It really was hard to decide. They
were both so delightful, she thought.

She couldn't say which one she'd
have; her efforts felt hopelessly flat.
It's really exceedingly hard selecting
a new hat.

A Quick Wink.

The closing of the eye, the rest and
the opening of it have been measured
and are found to consume three hun-
dred and ninety-five one-thousandths
of a second. This is a quick wink,
and winks have been measured that
required forty-one-thousandths of a
second more time. For these measure-
ments especially arranged photographic
apparatus is required, and then when
a bit of white paper is placed on the
eyelid its motions can be accurately de-
termined. In a quick wink the closing
of the eye has been found to require
seventy-five one-thousandths of a sec-
ond, the rest twice as long and the
opening one hundred and seventy-one
one-thousandths of a second.

Cause of Trouble.

She—Did you tell anybody about my
pies? He—Oh, yes! I had to tell my
physician what ailed me.—Exchange.

Welcome Speech.

When money talks it seems always
to make a bit.
At least nobody ever says
"Shut up!" to it.
—Boston Transcript.

Immortalized.

Brown—That's the cuckoo from a
clock I used to have. I have the high-
est respect and admiration for it, be-
cause it is the only thing that ever
dared to butt in while my wife was
talking.—Boston Journal.

Too True.

You may break, you may shatter
A ten dollar bill,
And you'll find that the remnants
Won't cling to you still.
—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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WOMAN'S REALM

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Edwin Harris Bergh, Conductor, Announces Plans of the Organization for Season

CONCERT EARLY IN OCTOBER

Soloist from St. Paul, at Second Concert in November Mrs. Pratt of Minneapolis Appears

Rehearsals of the Edwin Harris Bergh symphony orchestra will start September 11. Mr. Bergh announces that the first concert will be given in October and the soloist will be a St. Paul artist.

The second concert will be given Thanksgiving and Mrs. Pratt of Minneapolis, a noted reader, will appear. The instrumentation of the orchestra is the same as last year with the exception that there will be a number of additions to the string section.



EDWIN HARRIS BERGH

Mr. Bergh gained his musical education from a number of teachers. In Duluth he studied with Gustav Flaaten and Fred Bradbury. Following that, a course was taken in Chicago covering a term of four years under such well known instructors as O. H. Oldhiser, of the Chicago Musical College, Harry Diamond and both Henry Krause and Henry Nuernberger, of the Chicago Symphony, and William McPhail of Minneapolis, a past master in the art of teaching the Sevcik method.

Will Give Supper

The Ladies Aid Society of the Swedish Mission church will serve supper at Walker's hall on Wednesday evening, September 15, from 5 to 8:30. A large number of tickets are reported to have been sold.

Didn't Know the Bird.

He-Do you know Poe's "Raven"? She-Why, no. What's the matter with him?—Club Fellow.



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LABOR DAY BALL

To be Given at Gardner Auditorium on Monday, Sept. 6th, Blue Ribbon Orchestra Playing

A grand Labor Day ball will be given at Gardner auditorium on Monday, September 6. The music will be furnished by the Blue Ribbon orchestra.

The executive committee consists of J. M. Taylor, John Gabiou, C. O. Sundberg, Anton Rudd, I. Bunnell and M. Woodley. These annual balls are always delightful occasions and attract a large attendance.

Flint-Lee

William H. Flint and Mertie D. Lee were married Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stafford, of Crooked Lake. Rev. W. J. Lowrie performed the ceremony.

The witnesses of the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Watts and son Clement, Isaac Flint, father of the groom, and



WHITE FELT SAILOR.

The chic hat for early autumn wear is the felt sailor. The one shown here is of rose colored felt with a binding of cream faille silk about the brim and a band of the same silk about the crown.

At the Grand

Everybody must get ready to come to this popular feature play house Thursday or Friday to see Beatriz Michelena in "The Lily of Poverty Flat."



Beatriz Michelena's career began when she was carried on the stage as a babe in arms and since then she has spent a lifetime of successes on the Grand Opera stage and in pictures. This picture will undoubtedly draw those who can discriminate between only the very best and the mediocre.

Music and Drama

Fiske O'Hara will make his annual appearance in Brainerd Wednesday, September 15th, at the Brainerd opera house, under the management of Augustus Pitou, Jr. In a new play from the pen of Augustus Pitou, Sr., the author of most of W. J. Scanlan's and Chauncey Olcott's successes. The name of the new play is "Kilkenny," and the author has introduced many bits of historical interest and it is said to be one of the most intensely interesting Irish dramas written in years.

Of course Mr. O'Hara sings the usual complement of Irish melodies in his own inimitable way, among which are: "Girl of My Heart," "Contrary Mary," "Ireland is Ireland to Me," "Dear Mother Mine," and "That's What an Irishman Means."

A cast of unusual excellence will be seen in the young tenor's support, among them being Mabel Julline Scott, Marie Quinn, Mary Downs, Anna Nichols, Lisle Bloodgood, Eliza Mason, W. T. Morgan, J. P. Sullivan, James Edwards, Henry Duffy, J. E. Miller and W. T. Sheehan.

Marriage Licenses

August 24—Will L. Pitt and Marie A. Barth.

August 24—Emil Pelander and Jennie Saarl.

August 24—Swan Johnson and Edith Alvina Erickson.

August 25—Hiram A. Graves and Katherine Raymond.

August 25—John Ludwig and Mary Verkenes.

August 26—Wolford Bates Cook and Winifred Grace Wright.

August 27—William H. Flint and Mertie D. Lee.

August 28—Harry Seavey and Sadie Eckland.

M. E. Ladies Aid

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet in the church dining room on Wednesday afternoon of this week at 3 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

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CONVENTION HELD IN 1848

Interesting Account of the Organization of Minnesota Territory and History Incident

The Stillwater Gazette publishes the following interesting account of a historic meeting:

The Stillwater convention to take steps to secure a territorial organization was held in this city Aug. 26, 1848, sixty-seven years ago. On the evening of the 25th, Wednesday evening, the only surviving member of that convention will be held in this city, coming here with other old-timers, such as Hon. F. W. Durant, Colonel George Hazard and others, on the steamer Morning Star. The occasion is in the nature of a celebration of the event of many years ago, and there will be impromptu exercises at Lowell park on the arrival of the Morning Star.

The history of the convention of 1848 and the events that led up to the assembling of the historic body are told by J. Fletcher Williams, in his History of the St. Croix Valley, an excerpt of which is herewith reproduced:

"Saint Croix county, Wisconsin, in the year 1847, was detached from Crawford county and reorganized for judicial purposes with Stillwater as the county seat. In the month of June the United States district court held its session in the store room of Mr. John McKusick, Judge Charles Dunn presiding. A large number of lumbermen had been attracted by the pines in the upper portion of the valley of the St. Croix, and Stillwater was looked upon as the center of the lumbering interest.

"Three years elapsed from the time that the territory of Minnesota was proposed in congress to the final passage of the organic act. On the sixth of August, 1846, an act was passed by congress authorizing the citizens of Wisconsin Territory to frame a constitution and form a state government. The act fixed the St. Louis river to the rapids, from thence south to the St. Croix, and thence down that river to its junction with the Mississippi, as the western boundary.

"On the twenty-third day of December, 1846, the delegate from Wisconsin, Morgan L. Martin, introduced a bill in congress for the organization of a territory of Minnesota. This bill made its western boundary the St. Croix and Red River of the North. On the third of March, 1847, permission was granted to Wisconsin to change her boundary so that the western limit would proceed due south from the first rapids of the St. Louis river, and fifteen miles east of the most easterly point to Lake St. Croix, thence to the Mississippi.

"A number in the constitutional convention of Wisconsin were anxious that Rum river should be a part of her western boundary, while citizens of the valley of the St. Croix were desirous that the Chippewa river should be the limit of Wisconsin. The citizens of Wisconsin territory, in the valley of the St. Croix and about Fort Snelling, wished to be included in the projected new territory, and on the twenty-eighth of March, 1848, a memorial signed by H. H. Sibley, Henry M. Rice, Franklin Steele, William R. Marshall, and others, was presented to congress, remonstrating against the proposition before the convention to make Rum river a part of the boundary line of the contemplated state of Wisconsin.

"On the twenty-ninth day of May, 1848, the act to admit Wisconsin changed the boundary line to the present, and as at first defined in the enabling act of 1846. After the bill of Mr. Martin was introduced into the house of representatives in 1846, it was referred to the committee on territories, of which S. A. Douglas was chairman. On the twelfth day of January, 1847, he reported in favor of the proposed territory, with the name of Itasca. On the seventeenth of February, before the bill passed the house, a discussion arose in relation to the proposed name. Mr. Winthrop, of Massachusetts, proposed Chippewa as a substitute, alleging that this tribe was the principal one in the proposed territory, which was not correct. Mr. J. Thompson, of Mississippi disliked all Indian names, and hoped the territory would be called Jackson. Mr. Houston, of Delaware, thought there ought to be no territory named after the "Father of the Country" and proposed Washington. All the names proposed were rejected, and the name in the original bill inserted. On the last day of the session, March third, the bill was called up in the senate and laid on the table.

"When Wisconsin became a state the query arose whether the old territorial government did not continue in force west of the St. Croix river. The first meeting on the subject of claiming territorial privileges was held in the building in St. Paul known as "Jackson's store," near the corner of Bench and Jackson streets, on the bluff. This meeting was held in July, and a convention was proposed to consider their position. The first public meeting was held at Stillwater on August 4, and Messrs. Steele and Sibley were the only persons present from the west side of the Mississippi. This meeting issued a call for a general convention to take steps to secure an early territorial organization, to assemble on the twenty-sixth of the month at the same place. Sixty-two delegates answered the call, and among those present were W. D. Phillips, J. W. Bass, J. M. Boal, Auguste L. Larpenier and others from St. Paul. To the convention a letter was presented from Mr. Catlin, giving his opinion that the Wisconsin territorial organization was still in force. The meeting also appointed Mr. Sibley to visit Washington and represent their views; but the Hon. John H. Tweedy, having resigned his office of delegate

to congress on the 13th day of September, 1848, Mr. Catlin, who had made Stillwater a temporary residence, on the ninth of October issued a proclamation ordering a special election at Stillwater the thirtieth, to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation. At this election Henry H. Sibley was elected as delegate of the citizens of the remaining portion of Wisconsin territory. His credentials were presented to the house of representatives, and the committee to whom the matter was referred presented a majority and a minority report; but the resolution introduced by the majority passed and Mr. Sibley took his seat as the delegate from Wisconsin territory on the fifteenth of January, 1849.

"Mr. Henry M. Rice and other gentlemen visited Washington during the winter and, uniting with Mr. Sibley, used all their energies to obtain the organization of the new territory.

"Mr. Sibley, in an interesting communication to the Minnesota Historical society, writes: 'When my credentials as delegate were presented by the Hon. James Wilson of New Hampshire, to the house of representatives, there was some curiosity manifested among the members, to see what kind of a person had been elected to represent the distant and wild territory claiming representation in congress. I was told by a New England member, with whom I subsequently became quite intimate, that there was some disappointment when I made my appearance, for it was expected that the delegate from this remote region would make his debut, if not in full Indian costume, at least with some peculiarities of dress and manners, characteristic of the rude and semi-civilized people who had sent him to the capitol.'

"On the third of March, 1849, the bill was passed by congress for the territory of Minnesota, whose boundary on the west extended to the Missouri river. At this time the region was little more than a wilderness. The west bank of the Mississippi, from the Iowa line to Lake Itasca, was unceded by the Indians."

THE MAIL ORDER WAR

Mail Order Houses are Attempting to Gain a Footing by Placing Advertising in Newspapers

The Detroit Record is loyal to the locality in which it is published and to the business men of that city and county who contribute so liberally to its advertising columns, as will be seen by the following:

The Record this week refused a contract for a large amount of advertising from a twin city firm which is offering special inducements for the country people during state fair week. The Record has always advocated and practiced home patronage, believing that the merchants who spend their money in Detroit in taxes and improvements are entitled to the patronage of the people who are thus indirectly benefited by having these things located in their midst. There is absolutely no excuse for Detroit of Becker county residents to send their money to the twin cities or Chicago for things which can be purchased just as reasonably—and oftentimes cheaper—right at home, where the goods can be examined and the responsibility of the merchant is well known. We believe that every person in the county should take pride in supporting local institutions which show sufficient enterprise to keep on hand an assortment of goods such as the patronage may demand. Detroit stores were never better equipped to handle their patronage and, if perchance they should be out of the article required, they will readily procure it for you upon a reasonable commission basis. The stocks carried in Detroit are up-to-date in every particular and anyone living within forty miles of the city will find it well worth their while to visit the stores here, investigate the new and complete stocks carried, and compare prices and quality with those offered by foreign firms. Here is a good slogan for Becker county people to adopt: "Spend Your Money Where You Make It—in Becker County!"

AUTO PLUNGE KILLS ONE

Another Occupant of Car May Die as Result of Accident Near St. Peter.

Mankato, Minn., Aug. 31.—While returning from St. Peter an automobile carrying Percy McKibben, Newall Nelson and Clarence Oftedahl, jumped over an embankment near St. Peter and fell upside down on some rocks.

McKibben's neck was broken and he was killed instantly. Nelson is in a hospital with concussion of the brain and may die. Oftedahl was not injured seriously.

All three were from Pemberton. They were driving about fifty miles an hour.

McKibben was nineteen years old and Nelson twenty. The car was wrecked.

Arkansas Levee Breaks.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 31.—A levee on Black river, a tributary of the White, broke near Pochontas adding several thousand acres to the flooded districts of North Arkansas.

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BIG PROGRAM FOR WOMEN

Minnesota State Fair Presents Dozens of Features.

The most varied program for women ever given at the Minnesota State Fair will be offered, Sept. 6 to 11. Whether she be a city or a country woman satisfaction is certain to be expressed by the state fair visitor this year.

A program in which some of the greatest speakers on women's problems in this country will take part will be held on every day of the week, with the exception of Thursday. It will be held in the Hall of Fame. A score of different questions will be discussed.

Big Premium List.

A liberal premium list has been set aside for cooking, sewing, needle work, and other work of women. One quarter of the Woman's building will be occupied by a pretentious child welfare exhibit, in which the Froebel and Montessori kindergarten systems will be explained, play equipment for children shown, and other things of interest exhibited.

The Baby Show in the center of the Woman's building will prove a never ending source of interest to mothers. Here in a great glass cage the contestants will receive their physical examinations free. The show is intended to show parents how imperfections in development may be looked for and overcome.

Contests for Kids.

The children's spelling contest for the state championship; the girls' bread making contest; the pig contest for boys and girls; the big display of school exhibits; Rest Cottage, with its cool porch and restful rockers; Machinery Hall, with its hundreds of exhibits of modern equipment for up-to-date homes—these and many other things will interest the women.

No woman can afford to miss the great Minnesota State Fair this year.

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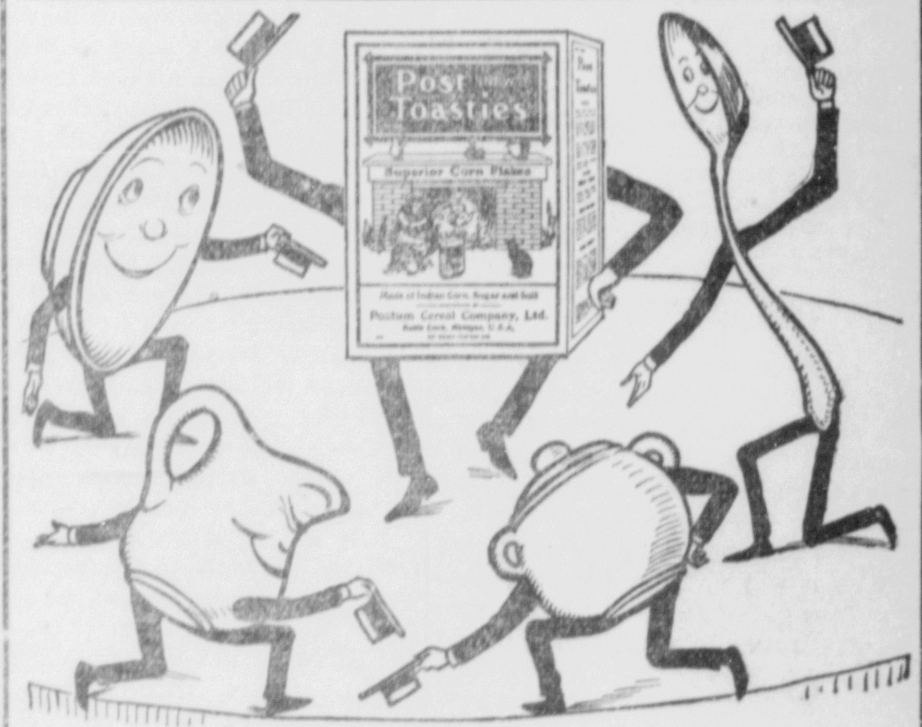
Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1915.

The St. Cloud Journal Press calls the attention of the public to the fact that presidential nominations are not far off, and says:

Few people in Minnesota have been giving any serious thought to the coming presidential nominations, and yet in only a little more than four months the list of delegates will have been made up, and forty days later, will have been selected to represent the people of the state on their choice of candidates.

The last legislature enacted a presidential preference law, and then promptly amended it so that to the layman it is much of a muddle. Secretary Schmahl will issue in a few days an interpretation of the law, prepared by the attorney general, which we trust will tell the voters in understandable language just what they have to do to elect delegates to the national convention.

The election of delegates will be held on the second Tuesday of March, and the names of the candidates for delegates must be filed with the secretary of state 40 days previous to the election, which will be the latter part of January.

The secretary sends the names of delegates to the auditors of the various counties, who have the ballots printed and distributed to the various municipal officers.

The candidates for delegates express their preference for president—if they have any.

Just now the majority of the Democrats are for President Wilson, but there is no marked sentiment among the Republicans of the state for any one man, and it is probable that an effort will be made to elect 24 representatives who will decide later on the candidate.

There will be no district or state conventions. The delegates will be elected by the votes of each party.

As the date of electing delegates comes so early, there will probably be no special strife over presidential candidates, as might occur on the eve of the national convention.

The name of Senator Knute Nelson has been suggested as the right man to head the state delegation, and no better man could be named, although the senator is naturally averse to taking part in a state wide election for the privilege of attending the national convention. Few men would care to even make a district canvass for the honor, especially if there is opposition. As any man can become a candidate for delegate on his own motion there will probably be enough ambitious men to create a contest in most districts.

It might be a wise plan to have a preliminary get-together meeting of the Republicans of the various counties and select the candidates to represent the party—otherwise, under the existing conditions, the voters will be taking a long chance on being correctly represented in the national convention.

JUST JOKING CHARLIE

C. F. Bandlow went to Brainerd Tuesday afternoon where he enjoyed a pleasant afternoon in the dentist's chair. Charlie thinks there is nothing like a tooth-ache.—Pillager Herald.

The Pillager Herald says: Gerald Wright was up from Brainerd Sunday afternoon for a visit at the parental home. Jake holds down a good job with the Farmers Produce Company at Brainerd.....Lester Parsons has severed his connections with the local creamery and is now holding down a fire patrol job with the Northern Pacific. He covers the territory from Wheelock to Baxter. The dry weather of the past few weeks causes fires to be started along the railroad right-of-ways.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Mouth Breathing.

Mouth breathing is a serious matter, as it is responsible for many physical ills and germ diseases. A sufferer from this evil should be examined by a physician. Adenoids consist of lymphoid tissue forming a third tonsil and are situated behind the soft palate in what is called the nasopharynx. It is a perfectly normal structure until it becomes overgrown or infected. Adenoids more or less completely close the passage between the nose and throat and in this way produce the condition known as "mouth breathing."

She Paid Cash.

She was notorious for wanting credit, and the druggist was on his guard. "You keep soda water?" "Oh, yes." "And can I have it charged?" "To 120 pounds pressure," he answered urbanely. And then she fished up the necessary coin.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Basis of Economy
Second War Year

By WILBUR S. FORREST
 (United Press Staff Correspondent)
 London, Aug. 19 (by mail)—England has entered the second year of war on a strict basis of economy.

Saving is not only a national duty but a bald imperative necessity. The government must have \$5,000,000,000 a year to carry on the war. The government's annual revenue is only \$1,350,000,000. The balance—\$3,650,000,000—must be furnished by the nation—the people.

The answer is: Strict economy—starting right away.

This is the keynote of a stern message to the people from the Parliamentary War Savings Committee, headed by Premier Asquith, Bonar Law and other notables. Assisted by experts on national economy, the committee is telling the people what to save and how to save it.

A booklet for nation-wide distribution, soon to be published by the committee will place the issue before every British citizen, rich and poor, high and low. The language is simple and to the point.

Here is the little problem in arithmetic that the government economists write on the national blackboard for Mr. John Bull:

Eliminate the millions and just suppose that the British government were an every day garden variety of man—John Bull. John has been enjoying a comfortable income of \$11,500 a year. After spending money for household necessities, week-end trips to the sea shore and furnishing gasoline for his automobile he has been able to save \$1500 a year. Then suppose, suddenly, he finds himself enmeshed in a lawsuit with his aggressive neighbor, Herr Johann Schmidt, of Berlin. To carry on the lawsuit he must spend \$5,000 a year. How can he find the money?

He has four alternatives, the government experts say:

- (1.) Sell his investments.
- (2.) Borrow from other people.
- (3.) Draw on money he has in the bank.
- (4.) Save out of the money he usually spends.

But if he employs any of the first three suggestions he will come out of the law suit poorer than he went in. There is but one logical suggestion and that is to save—eliminate the luxuries. It means that he'll have to economize, to eat, drink, smoke and dress less expensively; keep fewer servants, travel less, go to the theatre less; utilize his garden to grow the flowers that he formerly bought of the florist, and the potatoes and vegetables that he previously took from the grocer; garage his automobile and do without innumerable unnecessary things that eat into the family exchequer. If John Bull does all this he can keep on with his suit against Johann Schmidt indefinitely and when it is all over he will be no poorer. He can then revert to the original and more comfortable mode of living.

This, say the parliamentary economists, is the government's plan in a nutshell. It means to save and scrape to keep up its battlefield lawsuit to the indefinite end—and to emerge with unimpaired credit.

It is pointed out to John Bull collectively and individually that to sell stocks and bonds aboard means a poorer England; to borrow from other nations means sending gold aboard and endangers British world-wide banking. The problem that Johann Schmidt's law suit puts up to John Bull is the same problem that the government puts up to the people. It means use less and save more, all of which makes it possible for the government to import less and export more.

During the first six months of 1915 England imported \$2,145,000,000 worth of goods from other countries and sold them only \$1,175,000,000 worth. Duly subtracted and divided these figures show that England bought from other countries at the rate of \$5,000,000 daily more than she sold them.

In normal times, normal British business supplies the deficit, but now that there is war, the elements of trade and commerce that supply the difference are being used for war. Thus, say the government economists, is shown the imperative necessity for thrift. And the only solution of the problem is a revolution of national habits.

The government thrift campaign is to enter every British kitchen and garden.

"Each community will elect its committee and outline its individual thrift campaign," said H. E. Morgan, chairman of the parliamentary committee today. "Everyone wants to help his country at a time like this. Flower gardens and lawns must go. Vegetables must take their place. Every lawn must become a potato patch."

POSSIBILITY OF PEACE NOW NEAR

By J. W. T. Mason, for United Press

The possibility of peace is now nearer than it has been at any time since the war began. Only a small incident is needed to open the way for negotiations that may result in an armistice.

The first steps toward a lessening of the tension undoubtedly have been taken by Germany and England. The powerful anti-annexationist movement in Germany and Sir Edward Grey's admission that freedom of the seas is a debatable matter, must both be interpreted as suggestions for peace. If the settlement of America's submarine controversy with Germany can be extended to include an agreement between Germany and England for the mutual limitation of sea activity, the chances favor an early peace.

Germany wants peace, openly, though, of course, not a humiliating peace. Until Sir Edward Grey's statement last week, England would hear nothing about an ending of the war. Since then, however, there can be no possible doubt but that peace has begun to appear possible to influential Englishmen. This fact is delicately announced by F. W. Hirst, editor of the London Economist, who declares Sir Edward Grey's speech announcing improved treatment of prisoners of war and Germany's modified submarine offensive suggest a letting down of tension for "high diplomatic purposes." "High diplomatic purposes" means, of course, overtures for peace.

Peace, coming at this time, would leave the Allies baffled in their efforts to capture Constantinople, but it is by no means certain that much enthusiasm prevails in the west over the prospect of continuing to throw away English lives in order to make a present of the Dardanelles to defeated Russia.

The capture of Constantinople would largely enhance England's military reputation, but as events stand now, England doesn't really need a Turkish victory for purposes of prestige. The economic pressure brought to bear on Germany by the British fleet and the capture of German colonies by the British imperial troops are the two factors that will prevent the Allies being overwhelmed with humiliation when the peace negotiations begin. England therefore, can afford to talk peace. She has saved the Allies. This is doubtlessly the argument which is being quietly used in England. A little more of it and the peace congress will be in session.

ROUGH RIDERS' CONGRESS A FEATURE.



The Rough Riders' Congress at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 6 to 11, will bring together one of the classiest aggregations of men and women marksmen that has ever appeared in the Northwest. This congress will be given in connection with the World at Home Show at the lip of the lagoon.

Perhaps the biggest feature of the

assembled shows, however, will be the Wild Animal Show. Taylor's wild animals include several dozen trained beasts that are worth a mint of money. The leopard act in this show is as good as any put on by an American circus.

The champion woman diver of the world will also appear in connection with this show.

The Taj Mahal.

The Taj Mahal, at Agra, India, is said to be the most beautiful structure in the world. It was built by Shah Jehan as a tomb for his wife and is of the purest white marble. It shines so dazzlingly in the sun that you can scarcely look at it except in the morning or evening. Every part is inlaid with the most exquisite designs in marble of different colors, the finish being so perfect that the entire building may be said to resemble in the delicacy of its workmanship one of those Chinese caskets of ivory and ebony which are now so common in Europe and also in America.—New York American.

New York's Earthquake.

The "New York earthquake" occurred Aug. 10, 1884. It was a terrific earthquake through New England and the middle states, its center of intensity being in the villages of Amityville and Jamaica, N. Y. The walls of the Presbyterian Sunday school at Jamaica were cracked in two places, one to

two inches wide, from the roof to the foundations, and the walls of a house in Amityville were so cracked that it was possible to lay a broomhandle in the openings. New York, like a great part of the country, also felt the great "Charleston earthquake" of Aug. 31, 1886. New York received this shock at 9:54 in the morning.

Up to Him.

Coyle the blushing girl approached her father as he sat at ease after dinner.

"Daddy," she said coaxingly, "is it true that two can live as cheaply as one?"

"That's an old saying, dearie," he persisted, fondling the bald patch on the top of his head.

"Well, perhaps it can be done," said father doubtfully.

"Then if George and I get married do you think you can manage to support both of us on as much as you spend on me every year?"—New York Journal.

LEADERS OPPOSE
DIRECT ELECTIONS

Presidential Primary Law Likely to Be Opposed by Wilson.

MANY ARGUMENTS AGAINST IT

Senator Hoke Smith Says That Only the Very Rich Man Could Make Himself Well Known Enough to Win Ninety Per Cent of the Voters Do Not Know Men Whom They Support.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 25.—[Special.]—Presidential primaries is one of the policies which is likely to be stricken off the president's list during the present term because of the pressure of more important public business—and for other reasons.

The unpopularity of the scheme with a majority of Democrats in congress is another reason. It is not often that a president puts forward a policy which is so generally opposed by his party associates. More arguments have been advanced against presidential primaries than almost any other proposition which has been brought forward.

Chance For Rich Men.

"I am opposed to presidential primaries," said Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia, "though I am for the president and one of his earnest supporters. Presidential primaries will mean that a very rich man will be able to make himself so well known through publicity channels that he will be able to carry off the nomination. Ninety per cent of the people do not know anything about the man they support for president. He is known in his state, and if his state is for him it is an endorsement. In a presidential primary this state knowledge will not amount to anything, for the unknown can make himself known if he spends money enough."

Why Should They Want Peace?

Another misunderstanding regarding Mexico relates to the so-called soldiers in arms. Why should the banditti followers of bandits want peace? These men are clothed, fed and armed, receive more pay than they were ever able to earn before, are privileged to take part in the looting and ravishing, and altogether they are quite satisfied. The peon of 12 cents a day working in the mine and field is transformed into a soldier at 50 cents to \$1 a day, according to the plantations which are raided.

House and Ship Purchase.

There is every indication that the president intends to push the ship purchase bill this winter. There was a majority in the senate against the bill last year and probably will be in the coming congress, but not a majority that would dare to vote against it. Last winter the manipulation in the senate prevented action on the bill. The increased Democratic majority will make it difficult to prevent such action in the coming congress. It is supposed that the house will stop the bill if it is to be stopped. It is expected that the Democratic majority of thirty may be cut down by desertions of eastern Democrats who will not support the bill. At the same time these defections may be made up by Progressives and Republicans who will favor the bill.

More Budget Talk.

Always the first idea of the person who does not know conditions is to talk about a plan which is impracticable of application. That is what certain men who propose to economize in government expenditures are doing at this very time. Economists are saying that a budget system, lumping all appropriations into one grand bill and holding down on everything, and lo! the great economy trick is turned.

If there was one great, powerful, just, all knowing, all wise man who knew every want and detail of the government expenditures and the appropriations and expenditures were turned over to him, then would great and just economies be effected. Unfortunately there is no such person, and if there was congress would not give him the power.

Might Be Great Logrolling.

The budget plan, having one general bill, might result in a great deal more logrolling than at present. There would be trading from one end of the country to the other, and by the time such a bill passed both houses it would be a stupendous affair.

However, there is not much need of troubling over what might happen. The various committees which now handle supply bills are not going to relinquish their control.

Wood Is Used to It.

There has never been a man in the army more bold in speaking his mind than Major General Leonard Wood, and no man has been criticised more than he, so he will not mind the criticism which will be showered upon him for his condemnation of volunteers as a military support to the government in time of need.

General Wood knows how hard it is to get volunteers to fill the ranks of the regular army now. He knows that, while it is possible to enlist a certain number of men who like adventure in the beginning of a war, draft or conscription is necessary for any sustained military contest.

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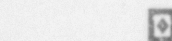
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SNAPSHOTS OF FASHION.

When the weather permits coat dresses of imitation fur fabrics will be seen in the shops.

Smartly designed costumes will also be made of this material, which when trimmed with real fur are as rich and handsome in effect as any fabric could possibly be.

Designs of material proffered by dressmakers are produced in lengths to suit their demands. The old cry of lack of co-operation by manufacturers is a dead issue for this season at least.

It is whispered that boots will lace up the front only for the coming season; also that pale colored leathers are decidedly de trop and that russet and tan shoes are to register the high water mark of smart style exclusiveness; also that these shoes, or boots, will be worn with every sort of frock and of every color, and, again, another firm reflects black cloth as the shiest material one can select for wear this autumn, also the smartest.

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DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

CITY SCHOOLS START SEPT. 7

Superintendent W. C. Cobb Urges to Have Children Attend on Opening Day

LATE START IS A HANDICAP

Many Enrolling in Normal Work—Agricultural Department to be Inaugurated

In a statement to the Brainerd Dispatch, W. C. Cobb, superintendent of the Brainerd City School says:

"The schools will open next Tuesday, September 7, and all parents should make every effort to start their children on the opening day. A late start often means a handicap all the year. The state law requires all school children to attend school the entire year unless illness forbids.

A certain number of children try to mislead parents each year with the plea that nothing is done the first week except to organize and that it is all right to start the next week. Such is not the case. Books will be given out the first morning and regular recitations will begin on Tuesday.

In the high school it is expected that the regular program will be started with less delay than in former years.

Books will be rented to high school students on the basis of 75 cents a semester, to such students as desire to rent text books instead of purchasing.

R. R. Denison, principal of the high school, will be at his office on the second floor of the high school building Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week from 9 a. m. to 12, to meet and classify pupils about to enter the high school as freshmen. The new freshmen class are requested to meet Mr. Denison at this time and get their classification settled this week, 9 a. m. to 12, Thursday, Friday or Saturday.

The enrollment of advanced students for Normal work is better than in any previous year and most of the entries have thus far been graduates of the high school or students who will graduate this year.

The response to the notice for parties having rooms to rent to teachers has been much greater than ever before and about thirty-five parties have already given their names and addresses for rooms to rent.

Employers of children of school age, are reminded of the school law and are notified not to continue such employment of school children under 16 years of age after Tuesday next, as the same is unlawful and subjects the offender to a penalty. The state authorities volunteer to assist the local authorities in enforcing this compulsory law.

Mr. Plughoeft, the new teacher of agriculture is on hand ready for work. This new department in the high school should mean much to this city and vicinity.

Agricultural teachers meeting is called at 4:30 p. m. on Monday and all teachers both in grades and high school are expected to be present.

NEW GROCERY COMPANY

Organized at Crosby, Capital Stock \$25,000 with William G. Young as President

Incorporation papers have been filed of a new grocery company known as the Crosby Grocery company, capitalized at \$25,000 to do business in Crosby. The incorporators are William G. Young, its first president, Christian Kraus vice president and Frederick H. Kraus, secretary and treasurer.

The highest indebtedness allowed is \$5,000. The corporation starts business August 17.

BIG THRESHING YIELD

O'Brien Farm in Maple Grove Township Shows up Well When Threshing is Carried On

Threshing carried on at the O'Brien farm in Maple Grove township gave good yields. Barley went 55 bushels to the acre and oats 65 bushels to the acre.

Painting

Parties desiring painting and graining, stencil work or anything in the painting line, write or call on Hans Erickson, 316 10th Street No. 7513p

An Easy, Pleasant Laxative

One or two Dr. King's New Life Pills with a tumbler of water at night. No bad, nauseating taste; no belching gas. Go right to bed. Wake up in the morning, enjoy a free, easy bowel movement, and feel fine all day. Dr. King's New Life Pills are sold by all druggists, 36 in an original package, for 25c. Get a bottle today—enjoy this easy, pleasant laxative. Your druggist.—Adv.

HARVEST HOME PICNIC TODAY

Mission Lake Farmers Club and Friends Hear C. E. Brown, of Elk River. Speak on

NEEDS OF THE POTATO MARKET

Minnesota Growers Facing Competition from the East and South Which Sorts Product

At the Mission Lake Farmers club harvest home picnic this afternoon C. E. Brown of Elk River spoke on "The Needs of the Potato Market."

Mr. Brown told some plain truths. He had recently been in Chicago where he saw potatoes from Virginia and New Jersey shouldering the Minnesota product and getting 15c a bushel more than Minnesota grown tubers. The south and east is using old cotton and tobacco fields for potato culture, applying fertilizers liberally and raising Irish Cobblers.

The potato growers belong to a growing association which like the fruit growers of the west passes on potatoes and will not permit the shipment of any which do not approach standard grade. The Cobblers are assorted like western apples. There must be a quick appreciation of what the south and east are doing in the potato markets and an improvement in Minnesota marketing to compete with the new potato fields.

Mr. Brown said that it was very interesting for him to speak at the picnic. Twenty-five years ago he handled pine logs at that very spot and the country was peopled with a few Indians. Today the Indians and the pine are gone and farming has full sway and the land is yielding big crops.

At the picnic were representative business men of Brainerd, Chamber of Commerce members and others. Many of the farmers clubs of the county were represented. County Agricultural Agent A. J. Gafke and Mrs. Gafke were present.

There was a fine agricultural display, also cooking and sewing entries. A list of prizes won will soon be announced.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Cloquet, Little Falls and Crosby Teams to Play at Brainerd in the Near Future

The Brainerd Tennis club will hold an invitation tournament in the near future, teams from Cloquet, Little Falls and Crosby being asked to participate. Preliminary tryouts are now being held here. Good players include D. A. Haggard and B. J. Broady, Drs. Edwards and Ide, P. W. Donovan and F. E. Stout, W. C. Cobb and R. R. Denison, Drs. Berg and Evert, H. O. Gish and Ralph Quinn. The grounds have been put in fine shape and the courts are now in almost continuous use. At the Brainerd tournament the winning team will get the Central Minnesota tennis championship.

* War News of One Year Ago Today *
* French minister of war issues call for additional reservists, bringing into the field all men between 20 and 48. *
* Left wing French army again falls back to avoid engagement on unfavorable ground that might have been decisive. *
* Germany reports 120,000 Russians killed and 70,000 prisoners taken at Allenstein. Russians claim they have not been seriously checked. *
* Czar's edict renames St. Petersburg Petrograd. *
* Vienna report: says 3,000,000 men are engaged on Russian-Prussian-Austrian border, the battle line 400 miles long. *
* With the movement toward Lublin a failure and Lemberg taken by Russians, Austria recalls troops from France. *

CAN LICENSE MINORS

Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith has again ruled that minors may secure hunting licenses by applying to the county auditor, according to a letter from the state game and fish commission just received by County Auditor McNairy. Two years ago Mr. McNairy asked for opinion on the subject and a similar ruling was made, but some county auditors have still refused to issue licenses to minors, although they were issued in this county under the former ruling.—Little Falls Transcript.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

ALMOST CHAMPION TRAP SHOOTER

A. C. White of Brainerd is Second in Registered Shoot at Minneapolis with 193

McMASTER IS HIGH AMATEUR

Scored High Mark with 194—Record Number of Trap Shooters Turned Out to Shoot

A. C. White of this city, better known as "Artie," winner of the Diamond Badge of former years, was second high amateur at the big shoot in Minneapolis, but one point behind the winner, A. C. McMaster, who scored 194 out of 200.

A record number of trap shooters turned out for the registered, special and weekly shoots at the Fort Snelling traps. Despite the bad weather high scores were rung up.

H. C. Hirschy was high professional with a count of 196. J. E. Dickey took second money with 193.

In a special event of 100 targets, J. E. Harker carried off first prize with a score of 98 out of 100. F. O. Stokke was second best with 96.

Following is the complete score of the registered shoot, a 200 bird event:

	Shot at	Broke
zH. C. Hirschy	200	196
A. P. Adams	200	178
H. E. Peck	200	184
S. W. McNell	200	178
zT. A. Marshall	200	189
J. J. McGraw	200	179
F. S. Novotny	200	184
W. B. Shepherd	200	190
Fred McKay	200	185
zH. E. Rinkel	200	192
W. S. Helm	200	179
Z. H. Austin	200	177
F. Woodruff	200	166
J. S. Frink	200	191
O. M. Holem	200	178
zJ. E. Sherman	200	189
zC. W. Hymer	200	184
A. L. Ryberg	200	173
E. L. Clark	200	180
zW. D. Higgins	200	190
zJ. E. Dickey	200	193
A. C. White	200	193
J. E. Harker	200	188
G. W. Griswold	200	183
A. H. Gilson	200	182
A. G. Malmquist	200	189
J. Wilson	180	151
A. M. McMaster	200	194
Dr. Van Slyke	200	184
W. A. Anderson	200	190
zR. R. Barber	200	186
Mrs. Barber	200	181
A. F. Mosier	200	180
G. W. Jackson	200	192
P. Giblin	200	181

z means professional.

SURPRISE TO BEMIDJI

People See Sixteen Bags of Mail Order Catalogues Distributed from the Postoffice There

The Pioneer says: Visitors at the Bemidji postoffice this morning beheld a most startling situation. Sixteen bags of mail order house catalogues were awaiting the attention of clerks, as many more were piled ready for distribution, and others remained at the depot to be taken to the postoffice later. Last week a large shipment of catalogues arrived from another mail order house. All of these immense catalogues are for distribution in Bemidji and immediate vicinity. It might be interesting to know that there are 228 different mail order concerns in the United States, and that several of them mail out 5,000,000 catalogues to various parts of the country several times a year. They are all carefully worded, handsomely printed and alluring. Many of their offers are tempting but in almost every instance the prices are met by local merchants, and their advertisements in the Pioneer prove it. Trading in Bemidji causes the city to grow and as a consequence the land tributary increases in value.

COMPARE THESE PRICES

The prices of meat animals—hogs, cattle, sheep and chickens—to producers of the United States increased 9.8 per cent from May 15 to June 15; in the past five years prices decreased in like period 9.8 per cent. On June 15 the index figure of prices for these meat animals was about 5.1 per cent lower than a year ago, 4.7 per cent lower than two years ago, but 2.5 per cent higher than the average of the past five years on June 15.—Monthly Crop Report, July 15, 1915.

* 10,000 JOHNSONS LEAD CHICAGO'S POPULATION. *
* Chicago, Aug. 31.—The 1915 edition of the Chicago city directory will indicate a population of 2,599,000, it is said. *
* The Johnsons, 19,000 of them, lead numerically, as they have for the last two years, and are closely followed by the Andersons and the Smiths. *

NEW WILSON SCHOOL OPENS

Children of Barrows will Attend School Beginning September 7 in the New Building

THE TEACHERS ARE ENGAGED

H. A. Peterson in Duluth on Iron Range Townsite Co. Business—Other Barrows News

Barrows, Minn., Aug. 31.—C. B. Jackson of Brainerd transacted business in town Saturday.

Mrs. Ralph Lindvall of Superior, arrived Friday to make her home here with her husband who is engineer at the new Rowley mine.

J. W. Porter of Crow Wing called on friends and looked after business here Monday.

W. J. Nicholas and family of Brainerd visited at the home of Mrs. G. R. Whitehouse Monday afternoon.

Andrew J. Gile left Tuesday morning for North Dakota where he expects to take in the threshing season. Mr. Goodwin of Lincoln is spending a few days in town and vicinity looking after insurance business.

School will open in the new Wilson school building Tuesday, Sept. 7th, with Miss Mae Staples and Mrs. E. S. Klasey as teachers. A large attendance is expected this year.

The school board of district No. 10 held a meeting Monday evening to arrange matters and get everything in readiness for the opening of the coming school year. It was decided to employ Mrs. E. S. Klasey to teach the lower grades.

H. A. Peterson left for Duluth Tuesday where he will spend a few days in the interest of the Iron Range Townsite company.

The ball game here Sunday between a Brainerd team and the home nine was a good game and interesting in the first four innings when the score was 1 to 1. After that the visiting team gained ground fast and won the game by a large score.

Levi Bailey who was recently appointed road overseer was in town Sunday and reported that work would commence on several roads south of town and a number of men were in demand.

Mrs. C. E. Farnsworth who is visiting at the Peck home returned from Duluth Saturday after spending a few days there with her husband.

SMALL GAME LICENSES

County Auditor Busy Issuing Them—Resident License is \$1 for All Small Game

The resident license is \$1 for all small game, which however is not applied to a hunter shooting on land owned or leased and occupied by himself as a permanent residence. The license is \$1 for all large game (no exception) procured of the county auditor.

County Auditor C. W. Mahlum has announced that his offices will be open evenings the rest of the week for the purpose of issuing hunting licenses to those who may find it inconvenient to call during the day. He calls special attention to getting them early this week. Labor Day, following Sunday, is a holiday, so hunters had better get their licenses Saturday so as to be prepared to shoot on Tuesday. Quite a number of licenses have been issued. They include these:

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GULL RIVER RIFLES

From the Pillager Herald:—Miss Amy Satter has returned home from St. Paul where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Johnson, for a few months.

Mrs. Ed. McFarland and son, also Mrs. Ezra McFarland and son, returned to their home in Tacoma, Wash., after several weeks' visit with relatives in this vicinity.

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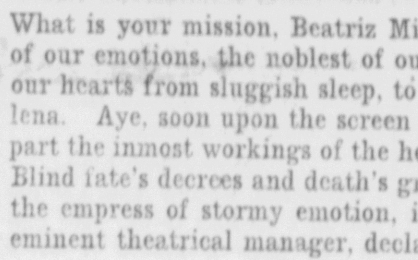
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SEIZE MEXICAN PAPERS.

Laredo, Tex., Aug. 31.—Highly prejudiced news articles against the United States appearing in the Mexican press along the border, especially in some of the Monterey papers, have so inflamed the Mexican populace that United States customs officials have received orders to confiscate any papers that tended to incite race hatred. Postal officials are reported to be taking steps to bar such papers from the mails.

FIVE MEXICANS ARE SLAIN
BY POSSES ALONG BORDER.

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 31.—Five Mexicans, said to be cattle thieves, were killed at Eagle Mountain, about thirty miles east of Sierra Blanca, by a posse composed of customs river guards, civilians and soldiers, according to authoritative advices. It was said none of the posse was injured.

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If the hub of a wheel is not perfectly centered—that is, if it is one-eighth inch nearer the circumference on one side than on the other—will it unbalance the car? How can the hub be turned?

Eccentricity of the hub would cause undue strain on the wheel bearing, increase tire wear on that side, cause unpleasant riding and perhaps injure the axle shaft. If it is in the front it will make steering hard also. The best plan is to get a new hub or have the worn one turned in a lathe. It might be possible to have it bushed. Consult a good repair man, as only an examination can tell exactly what the condition is.

Can you give me a good recipe for a top dressing for imitation leather tops?

A good recipe for an imitation leather top is composed of six parts of spermaceti, eighteen parts of beeswax, five parts of asphalt varnish, five parts of black vine twig, two parts prussian blue, one part nitrobenzol, one part powdered borax and sixty-six parts oil of turpentine. The wax is melted and the borax added, after which the mixture is stirred until a jellylike mass is obtained. In another pan the spermaceti is melted, the varnish, which has been previously mixed with the turpentine, is added and the mass stirred well and added to the wax mixture in the other vessel. The color is the last ingredient added, this having been previously rubbed smooth with a little of the mixture. The material is applied with a brush about once a week in small quantities and is wiped well with a soft cloth to polish after application.

How can the bonnet of a car be raised when it has external exhaust manifolds?

There are two ways of doing this. Either the side panel of the hood can be cut away so that it will slip down over the pipes, or else the hood can be made in three separate parts. In this case the side panel is hinged to the frame and opens outwardly.

Would a 4 by 4 1/2 motor be as flexible and as economical as a 3 1/2 by 6 inch? If not, why?

It may or may not. The motor dimensions do not necessarily decide the ability of a machine to be low in fuel consumption. The flexibility and economy of one motor may be better than another against all theory as regards bore and stroke. It is safe to assume, however, that the average long stroke motor is considerably more flexible than a short stroke motor of the same design.

Will you please advise me the best method of sinking a galvanized iron drum for the purpose of underground storage of gasoline?

The best method of sinking a galvanized iron drum for the purpose of underground storage of gasoline is to line the well in which the tank is to lie with some hard material, such as brick or concrete, that will not sink unequally afterward and put strain upon the tank connections. There are many methods suggested by different companies in this business. One company states that the best method of sinking such a drum, both as regards the life of the drum and cheapness, is to paint the tank thoroughly with a good asphaltum paint or smear thoroughly with tar. After the hole for the tank is made put in this either a tarred paper or burlap, smearing the tank thoroughly with asphaltum or tar and then folding it over the burlap or tarred paper. The asphaltum or tar is again daubed over the tank after this is done, after which the ground is filled in, and, according to the estimate of this company, the tank should be good for fifty or a hundred years.

What is a good way to eliminate squeaking springs?

Flake graphite introduced between the leaves of the springs kills the squeak and seems to last indefinitely. The reason for its success is that it clings to the surface of the leaves and puts a veneer of graphite all over them. This prevents metal to metal contact.

The way to apply the lubricant is as follows: Jack up the car so that all weight is off the springs and spread the leaves apart with a screwdriver. Now draw the leaves as closely as possible with flake graphite, using a feather. You will find when you come to drive your car, even over the roughest roads, that spring squeaking has all disappeared.

Is it practicable to use shellac on rims to prevent rusting?

If you painted your rims with shellac you would find that it peels off in a short time. For this purpose graphite paint or even ordinary paint would be much more satisfactory.

How can I retain the glossy finish on the body of my car?

Wash the body with slightly warm water and when dry give well rubbed in application of a liquid veneer with cheesecloth. As a result the body retains its gloss, although run practically every day in the year and in all kinds of weather.

If there should be a break in the ground wire how would the motor act and how could I find the trouble?

What will happen when a ground wire breaks depends on the function of the wire. If it carries current when the ignition system is in operation then its breakage will result in the motor coming to a stop, but if the wire is used to short circuit the magneto in order to stop the motor then its breakage will not affect the running of the engine. When the switch is brought to the off position the motor will not stop, and therefore some other means will have to be employed to bring the motor to rest.

As a rule when this occurs the trouble is easily located. The broken wire is indicated by the stoppage of the motor or its continued operation after the switch has been opened, as the case may be. The broken wire should be easily found by inspection unless, as sometimes happens, the breakage occurs inside the insulation.

What are the disadvantages of a semi-floating rear axle?

In the semi-floating rear axle the shafts must support the weight of body, frame, etc.; take torsional stresses and turn the rear wheels. The shafts cannot be removed without difficulty and then only when the wheels are removed and the housing jacked up.

Will you please tell me whether a cylinder should leak compression past the rings when stopped on dead center? If it should not leak, how do you remedy this?

The rings should be tight enough so that no appreciable loss of pressure will occur for, say, a minute, but it cannot be expected that the pressure will stay there indefinitely when the piston is stopped on dead center. From the way your question is worded it seems that you have turned the motor over until one of the pistons has reached the end of the compression stroke and that you left it there for a few moments at least. If, however, we have misunderstood you and the fact actually is that when you turn the motor over slowly without stopping the pressure decreases then you have a leak. It may not be the fault of the rings, however, but due to the valves. If the trouble is due to leaking rings they must be replaced, and if the pistons and cylinders are very badly worn it may be necessary to bore out the cylinders and fit larger rings.

Before going to the trouble of tearing down the motor and examining the pistons and rings remove the exhaust valve and note whether it is carbonized or pitted. If so it must be ground. Also note whether there is any clearance between the valve stem and the push rod. There should be sufficient space to insert a piece of writing paper, and if there is not the push rod must be adjusted by loosening the lock nut, which is the lower one, and then turning the upper nut to the right. If there is no clearance the valve will occur. If the exhaust valve is found to be in good condition examine the inlet valve.

How is a canvas strip used to pull a car out of the mud?

The canvas strip is supplied with cords at either end and is tied to a stake at the front and the rear tied around the tire. When the wheel starts to slip it carries the canvas with it, and the latter is wound upon the tire, the car coming forward at the same time.

I would like to know what causes a dull knock in my engine running slowly when idle. With both throttles retarded, the valves in good shape and the connecting rods tight this knock seems to be in the fore part of the engine.

The knock is due to some loose part, which must be found by process of elimination. Probably you will find this knock by examining the main bearings for looseness, the flywheel connection and the crank shaft, which may have become flattened. If the pistons are worn so that they have become loose a knock of this kind may also be given by the slapping of the pistons against the cylinder walls.

In removing carbon from gasoline engines should denatured alcohol be used while engine is hot or cold? How much to each cylinder, and how long should it remain in cylinders?

Apply the alcohol when the motor is hot for the reason that the action of the alcohol is merely to dissolve the gummed oil which binds the particles of carbon together into a hard, solid mass, and when the alcohol is hot it dissolves the oil more readily. The cylinder should be filled with alcohol so that it will come into contact with every part of the carbon. It is best to do one cylinder at a time. Bring the piston to top dead center on the compression stroke, as the valves are then closed. Fill the cylinder with alcohol and allow it to stand until the carbon is softened. How long this will take depends on how hard the carbon is. One hour may be sufficient and then, again, it may be necessary to allow it to stand overnight or possibly twenty-four hours.

POSTAL REFORMS ARE NOT PUSHED

Rural Delivery Extended In Six States and Then Stopped.

CHANGES SAVED MONEY

Automobiles Substituted For Horses and Routes Lengthened, but the Good Thing Has Met a Mysterious Set-back—Wilson Alone Analyzes a Problem When All Facts Are Given Him.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 28.—[Special.]—Postmaster General Burleson started out to run the postoffice department on economic lines. He was turning yearly surplus earnings into the treasury, but the war in Europe changed conditions, and soon a falling off in revenues was observed.

He then told his assistants to "take up the slack"—that is, to economize wherever the service would permit. He found that \$18,000,000 could be saved by putting the rural service under the contract system, the service now costing \$40,000,000 more than it returns. Congress would not stand for any such change, and he was prevented from taking any action of that kind.

Successful Experiments.

Since congress adjourned General Burleson found a method by which he could make great savings in the rural service by changing, consolidating and otherwise systematizing rural routes. He tried it out in six states in various parts of the country and effected a saving of \$2,000,000 a year without decreasing the number of patrons served on any route, but, instead, largely extending the number. Part of this was effected by making the routes regular and also by consolidating them and putting on auto service. Instead of a rural service of twenty-four miles costing \$1,200 a year he secured a service of fifty miles at \$1,800 a year.

Possibly a Political Blockade.

Great things were expected from the improved service and particularly in the matter of economy. But the query has arisen as to why the reform has not been pushed, why it has stopped with six states. "It's a good thing; push it along," is an old, familiar slang expression. That was expected of the new postal rural service reform. But there seems to be a blockade. Postmaster General Burleson seems to have encountered difficulties. There is a suspicion that politics has something to do with the holdup.

Thinks Best Alone.

President Wilson does not need any one to help him think. He may have to call upon members of his cabinet and other officials to give him basic information, precedents and facts in great cases, but he does not need any help in analyzing, dissecting and drawing conclusions. He can take a given set of facts and work out a solution of a vexed question simply by giving his mind to it and without assistance.

Wilson's Perplexities.

"Woodrow Wilson has had more to contend with than any president since Lincoln," remarked Postmaster General Burleson, "and the way in which he has come through them and kept the country at peace has been marvelous. I believe he will keep this country out of war."

Congressman Hay Is Firm.

Probably the first clash over military preparation will be between Secretary Garrison and Chairman Hay of the military committee of the house. Hay talked quite pugnaciously a few months ago when he spoke of the movement for preparation, but later he has modified his tone to the extent that he is ready for anything reasonable, but does not intend to be stampeded into extravagance and useless expenditures. The debatable ground will be over what is extravagant and useless on the one side and what is necessary on the other. There is lots of opportunity for differences of opinion on that score.

Fear a War.

Quite a number of Republicans have been heard to say, "If Wilson keeps us out of the war I will vote for him." That sentiment is widespread, but there are many people who insist that the president shall be firm with Germany, even to the point of breaking off diplomatic relations. Our people do not want war. Quite a number can remember the Spanish war. They see a lot of things as a result of that war which they would never have seen otherwise. And, besides, what would we do in going into a war with Germany?

Carranza Keeps Posted.

Carranza, no doubt, keeps his ear to the ground the same as other men in high stations. He, no doubt, knows that this foreign war keeps the United States in such a great guessing game that it does not want to get involved in Mexico. A time might arrive when we would need every soldier available, and we would not like to have 200,000 or 300,000 men tied up in guerrilla warfare in Mexico. If the European situation grows worse Carranza and the other generals can go on fighting and looting as heretofore, for the United States cannot afford to send its best troops down into Mexico with other hostilities in sight. It would take all the trained soldiers in the United States at the present time to cope with the Mexicans.

BROTHER CAPTURES SLAYER

Minneapolis Man Murders His Wife During Conference.

Minneapolis, Aug. 31.—Mrs. Anna Rainbolt, sister of Mrs. L. A. Landon, St. Paul, was shot and instantly killed by her husband, Thomas S. Rainbolt, during the course of a family conference to settle domestic troubles at Minneapolis.

Sylvester Rainbolt, with whom the murderer lived, was shot through the arm. Although severely injured he overpowered his brother and turned the man over to the police.

The murder was committed in the presence of a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rainbolt and Mrs. Mattie R. Turner, a sister of the two men. The meeting was arranged to divide property between Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rainbolt, who had decided to separate after they had lived together twenty-eight years.

Islands Hurricane Swept.

Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 31.—The local government has received news by wireless that Cayman Brac, one of the Caymans, a British group of islands about 150 miles northwest of Jamaica, suffered severely in the West Indian hurricane of August 13, which also inflicted heavy losses upon Jamaican property. Relief measures for Cayman Brac have been found necessary, and a vessel loaded with supplies is on the way to the stricken island. No particulars of the damage there are available.

Bishop's Recovery Assured.

Winona, Minn., Aug. 31.—"Bishop Heffron continues to improve and the probabilities are that his recovery is assured," was the statement issued by Dr. H. F. McLaughlin, attending the prelate who was shot Friday by Father L. M. Lesches while at mass at St. Mary's college. Relatives who were summoned left for their homes satisfied that the crisis had passed and that the patient will recover.

Swift Justice for Negro.

Murphysboro, Ill., Aug. 31.—Joe Deberry, the negro who killed his benefactress, Mrs. J. H. Martin, in her home July 30, was indicted here, pleaded guilty within a few minutes, again pleaded guilty when the trial court reconvened and was sentenced to be hanged Oct. 16.

Strikers Return to Work.

Bridgport, Conn., Aug. 31.—Many hundreds of factory workers who had been on strike recently, returned to work, their differences with employers having been adjusted. In nearly every instance the workers have entered upon the eight-hour schedule without a reduction in wages.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association.

Milwaukee 13, Minneapolis 2.
Columbus 11, Indianapolis 2.

American League.

Philadelphia 4, St. Louis 3.

Federal League.

Buffalo 2, Brooklyn 1.
Pittsburg 7, Chicago 4.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Aug. 31.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.03 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.02 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.00 1/2. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.66.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Aug. 30.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.05 1/2 @ 1.20 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.02 1/2 @ 1.17 1/2; No. 2 Montana hard, 98 1/2 @ \$1.01 1/2; corn, 75 1/2 @ 76; oats, 33 @ 33 1/2; barley, 47 @ 63; rye, 93 @ 95; flax, \$1.70 1/2.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Wheat—Sept., 85 1/2; Dec., 93 1/2; May, 98 1/2. Corn—Sept., 73 1/2; Dec., 63 1/2; May, 64 1/2. Oats—Sept., 35 1/2; Dec., 35 1/2; May, 38. Pork—Sept., \$13.32 1/2; Oct., \$13.52 1/2. Butter—Creameries, 24 1/2. Eggs—21c.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Aug. 30.—Wheat—Sept., 92 1/2; Dec., 92 1/2; May, 97 1/2. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.03; No. 1 Northern, 97 1/2 @ \$1.02 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 94 1/2 @ 99 1/2; No. 3 Northern, 87 1/2 @ 94 1/2; No. 3 yellow corn, 75 @ 75 1/2; No. 3 white oats, 31 @ 32; flax, \$1.71 1/2.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Cattle—Beeves, \$6.00 @ 10.15; cows and heifers, \$3.00 @ 8.50; Steers, \$6.40 @ 7.40; calves, \$8.50 @ 12.00. Hogs—Light, \$7.40 @ 8.00; mixed, \$6.55 @ 7.90; heavy, \$6.25 @ 7.65; rough, \$6.25 @ 6.45; pigs, \$7.00 @ 8.00. Sheep—Native, \$5.80 @ 6.40; yearlings, \$6.60 @ 7.55; lambs, \$7.00 @ 9.30.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Aug. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; steers, \$4.50 @ 9.25; cows and heifers, \$4.50 @ 6.85; calves, \$4.75 @ 10.75; stockers and feeders, \$8.25 @ 7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 1,400; range, \$6.25 @ 7.60. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; lambs, \$5.00 @ 8.875; wethers, \$4.75 @ 5.75; ewes, \$3.00 @ 5.50.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Aug. 30.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$16.50; No. 1 timothy, \$15.00 @ 15.75; No. 1 clover mixed, \$12.00 @ 12.75; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$12.00 @ 12.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$12.00 @ 12.75; choice upland, \$11.50; No. 1 upland, \$10.50 @ 10.75; No. 1 midland, \$7.00 @ 7.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$14.00 @ 14.75.

MEXICAN REVOLT IN U. S. FOILED

Twenty-six Mexicans Taken Into Custody at San Antonio.

ONE AGITATOR ABUSES WILSON

Prisoners Are Charged With Urging Countrymen to Violence—Speakers Make Plea for "San Diego" Plan. A. B. C. Program to Proceed Regardless of Carranza.

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 31.—With the arrest here of twenty-six Mexicans, twenty-three of whom were detained, Chief of Police Lancaster and federal authorities announced that a plan to incite the Mexican population of San Antonio to deeds of violence had been frustrated.

The prisoners, according to Chief Lancaster, are followers of the so called plan of San Diego, an extravagant manifesto promulgated by a party of Mexican agitators, which proclaims the "republic of Texas" to be governed by Mexicans.

Recent uprisings in the lower Rio Grande valley caused the program for the establishment of the new government to go amiss and at the same time federal officers were put on their guard.

Leaders Under Arrest.

Three of the leaders were arrested while addressing a crowd of 1,000 Mexicans on the market plaza. The addresses were of an inflammatory nature and calculated to arouse the poorer classes of Mexicans to deeds of violence.

Since the disturbances in the Brownsville territory, special agents of the department of justice and police officials have been keeping a close watch to prevent a possible uprising in San Antonio. They had learned that agitators and also Magonistas, members of a Mexican party, were here in great strength, but until Sunday night there had been no open attempt to encourage disorders.

"One speaker," Chief Lancaster said, "after abusing the president of the United States, the government of this country and the white race generally, openly declared, 'It is no harm to kill a gringo and an allemande,' meaning Americans and Germans." It was at this point the police charged the crowd and arrested the leaders, but not without a fight. As the officers were withdrawing, one of the Mexicans shouted: "Now is the time to rise. Let us kill the gringos."

The arrival of the police quieted all martial spirit for the time being.

Following the arrest of the leaders, the police instituted a dragnet search, which resulted in the arrest of twenty-three others. They will be placed in the custody of the federal officials, who said that charges of treason, alleging an effort to set on foot an armed expedition against the United States authorities, probably would be filed against them.

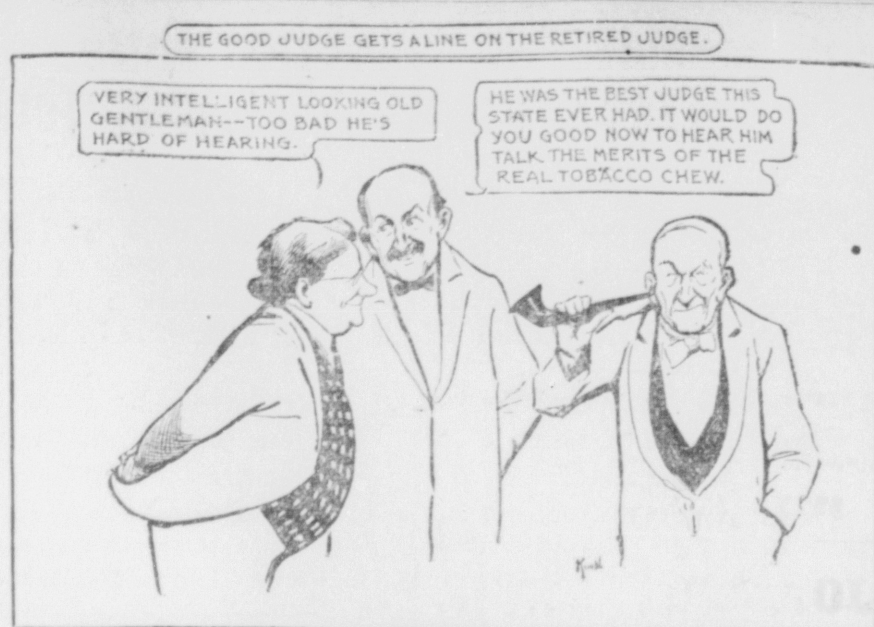
CONSIDERING NEXT STEP FOR PEACE IN MEXICO

Washington, Aug. 31.—It is stated authoritatively here that the next step in the Pan-American program for restoration of peace in Mexico is under consideration and will be taken in the near future regardless of what might be the nature of General Carranza's belated reply to the offer of Secretary Lansing and Latin-American diplomats to arrange for a conference of Mexican military and political leaders.

No inkling was given, however, of what form this next development would take.

Larger Russian Cabinet.

London, Aug. 31.—The enlargement of the Russian cabinet by ten members, five of them to be chosen from the Duma and five from the Council of the Empire, has been tentatively agreed on as a means of making the government more truly representative of the people, according to the Daily Telegraph's Petrograd correspondent.



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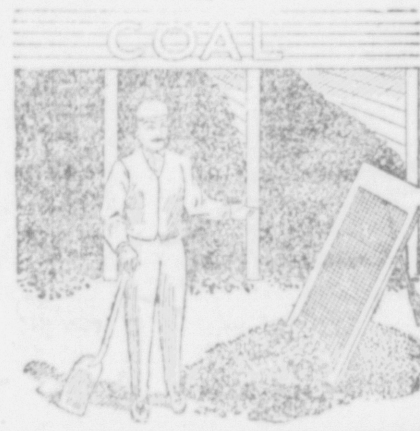
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